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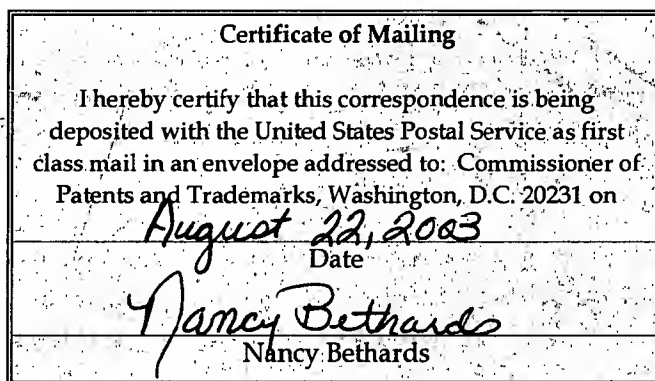
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In response to the Office Action dated May 22, 2003, regarding the above-identified subject matter, the Applicant hereby respectfully submits the following amendment and response.

**The Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.